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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants bring the following documents to the Examiner's attention in the referenced application.

1. U.S. Patent Number 5,734,823 to Saigh et al.
2. U.S. Patent Number 5,734,891 to Saigh.
3. U.S. Patent Number 5,418,713 to Allen.
4. U.S. Patent Number 5,794,217 to Allen.
5. U.S. Patent Number 5,636,276 to Brugger.
6. Assorted PACK documents from <http://sunsite.dk/pack/> et seq. (21 pages).

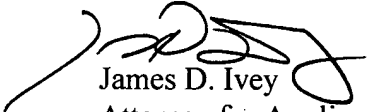
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No Office Action on the merits has been received. This paper is submitted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b) and, accordingly, no fee is believed to be required.

If the Examiner has any questions or comments with respect to the present application, the Examiner is respectfully invited to telephone the undersigned at (510) 336-1100.

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